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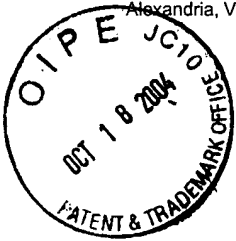
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In re Application of:

Holly H. HOGREFE et al.

Serial No.: 09/631,613

Filed: August 4, 2000

For: POLYMERASE ENHANCING  
FACTOR (PEF) EXTRACTS, PEF  
PROTEIN COMPLEXES, ISOLATED  
PEF PROTEINS, AND METHODS  
FOR PURIFYING AND  
IDENTIFYING THEM

Group Art Unit: 1637

Examiner: C. WILDER

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**AMENDMENT**

Applicants now respond to the Office Action mailed April 16, 2004. The period to respond has been extended three months by the Petition for Three Month Extension of Time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith.

Amendments to the claims appear at pages 2 to 3.

New formal drawings are discussed at page 4.

Remarks appear at pages 5 to 8.